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September 15, 2008

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CDIAC offers sequenced training on debt and investment practices through a series of coordinated seminars in the fall and spring of each year. The debt issuance track focuses on concepts, mechanics, and ongoing administration of debt. The public fund investment series concentrates on concepts, practices, investment tools, and strategies for investing public funds and managing public fund investment portfolios.

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The Bond Buyer California Public Finance Conference The Future of the Municipal Securities Market

September 15, 2008 Hyatt Regency Embarcadero San Francisco, California

Cost: TBD

Registration Deadline: TBD

This half-day seminar preceding The Bond Buyer California Public Finance Conference is intended to make sense of the rapidly evolving municipal securities market. Topics include the state of the bond issuance industry, the use of credit ratings, and the possible future application of a global rating scale to both corporate and municipal bonds. The seminar will conclude with a discussion on whether the municipal market will be able to regulate itself in the future. This event is open to both public and private sector representatives of the municipal finance industry.

Understanding Municipal Securities Regulations

September 19, 2008 Sheraton San Diego Hotel & Marina San Diego, California

Cost: \$199

Registration Deadline: August 22, 2008 or until filled

This one-day seminar covers the disclosure of municipal securities information to the market. Topics include federal securities laws and regulations, issuer responsibilities, and continuing disclosure compliance.

Fundamentals of Debt Financing

October 2-3, 2008 Doubletree Hotel San Diego Mission Valley San Diego, California

Cost: \$250

Registration Deadline: September 4, 2008 or until filled

This one and one-half day seminar is the first in a series of three debt issuance courses. Topics include roles and responsibilities of financing team members, types of short- and long-term financings, the decision to use credit enhancement, and the credit rating process. The session will conclude with a discussion of issuer responsibilities for initial and continuing disclosure.

Investing Public Funds: Fundamentals of Managing Your Portfolio

November 20-21, 2008 Hilton Pasadena Pasadena, California

Cost: \$250

Registration Deadline: October 23, 2008 or until filled

This one and one-half day seminar provides investment officers and their staff with information about the investment of public funds. Topics include investment concept fundamentals, cash flow analysis, the investment of operating funds and bond proceeds, the role of investment advisors and broker/dealers, and the use of benchmarks to manage a portfolio.

FOR QUESTIONS OR COMMENTS ABOUT THE SEMINARS LISTED ABOVE, CONTACT CDIAC AT (916) 653-3269

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